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Announcing the ESKIV 2013/06 workshop, "Epidemiological Status of Kissing Bugs in Vietnam", Ha Noi (Viet Nam), 17-21th of June 2013

Dear Madam / Sir,

Institut de recherche pour le développement

The National Institute for Malariology, Parasitology and Entomology, Hanoi (NIMPE, Vietnam), the Institute of Research for Development (IRD, France) and the Institute of Ecological and Biological Ressources (IEBR, Vietnam) are currently organizing the "*Epidemiological Status of Kissing Bugs in Viet Nam*" workshop (ESKIV), to be held in June 2013 in Hanoi (Vietnam).

The main theme of the meeting is the epidemiological and medical importance of urban infestation by the invasive species *Triatoma rubrofasciata*, which is a Chagas disease vector in Latin America.

Please find more information at our web site http://mome-clic.com/eskiv/

In light of your recognized interest in the field of infectious diseases, it would be greatly appreciated if you would accept to participate to the workshop.

Please kindly note that this invitation does not imply support for your trip or your stay. Lunch and coffee break, as well as a dinner on June 20, will be offered for people having confirmed their coming by answering this mail.

Yours sincerely,

Dr. Jean-Pascal Torr é ton,

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